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COL. EWING IS AFTER THEM.

Suit Brought For Tobacco
Growers Against the
Trust.

ASKS \$250,000 DAMAGES.

Alleged Boycott of the Dark
Tobacco Growers As-
sociation.

Clarksville, Tenn., July 14.—Suit was filed in the Circuit Court Wed-
nesday against the American Tobac-
co Company and the boycotting
buyers of the Clarksville tobacco
market by members of the executive
committee of the Dark Tobacco
Growers' Association, claiming \$250,000 damages.

The suit is brought by the commit-
tee as the representative of 7,000
members of the Association, and is
based on the alleged action of the
defendants in trying to break up and
destroy the farmers' organization, in
restraint of competition, and also
for the alleged boycotting of the
Association's tobacco on this mar-
ket.

The substance of the declaration to
be filed is:

The Association declares that this
will be a fight to the finish, and
every member of the organization is
standing solid behind the officials
taking this action. The Association
says it has been hounded by the en-
emies of the organization until it has
been driven to this extreme to pro-
tect the Association and the interests
involved. Chairman Felix G. Ewing
and the executive committee met
last week and decided that the cri-
tical point in the fight had arrived,
and that the action must be taken to
protect the Association. It is said
that in opening the season action
was taken to make the Bremen peo-
ple believe that the Association had
only 30 or 35 per cent. of the crop
pledged. After it was discovered
that this was false, Bremen was
assured that the farmers had 40,000
hogsheads which were boycotted,
and that the Association could not
sell a hand of it. Then steps were
taken to extend the boycott to
Europe.

The declaration in the suit is very
full, and places the defendants in
the attitude of violating the In-
terstate Commerce law and hinder-
ing trade.

The Dark Tobacco Growers' As-
sociation yesterday said 680 hogsheads
to parties in New York and Bremen.
The tobacco was from a common to
a medium leaf and the prices rang-
ed from \$6.50 to \$11.50 per hundred.
The price is much higher than that
received last year and is satisfactory
to the seller. The tobacco will be
shipped from the different ware-
houses in the Clarksville district as
soon as instructions are received,
which will be within the next few
days. The sales were not made
through any local buyers. The lat-
ter have refused to accept the as-
sociation's inspection and it is claimed,
boycotted the association.

IN FINE HEALTH.

Undertakers of the City Say
Business is Dull.

In talking to the undertakers a
Kentuckian man learns that the
health of the city was never better
than it has been for several months.
They say that they have buried few-
er persons in the past six months,
perhaps, by fifty per cent. than at
any time during their terms of busi-
ness. This is one of the very best
evidences of the good health of the
city and county that could be pro-
duced. There are probably not half
a dozen cases of serious sickness in
the city at this time, and the mor-
tality for several months has been
principally among infants and peo-
ple of advanced age.

CONTINENT IS CROSSED TO WED

Former Kentuckian Returns
To Old Home For Child-
hood Sweetheart.

MARRIED THURSDAY.

Bride Will Grace Luxurious
Home In Far
West.

A rather novel wedding took place
in this city Thursday afternoon on
South Virginia street. The con-
tracting parties were Mr. J. B.
Word, of San Francisco, Cal., and
Miss Myrtle V. Flowers, of Crofton,
Ky.

The groom is a son of Mr. W. W.
Word, of La Trobe, El Dorado coun-
ty, Cal. The father of the groom is
a native of this county, and has re-
latives living east of Crofton.

Twenty-one years ago the family
went to California, but for some
time before moving to the West
young Mr. Word worked in Forbes
Bro's. planing mill. Engaging in
business in California, by unremit-
ting labor and close attention to busi-
ness the Word family soon found
themselves on the road to fortune.
Then they added machinery to their
business and in a few years their
business had increased to such an
extent that father turned over his
business to his sons and retired to
enjoy the competence he had so de-
servedly won.

But there was a little girl "back
in Kentucky," the image of whose
face could not be obliterated from
the memory of young Word. She
had grown to womanhood and there
was a place in his heart that no wo-
man of the West could fill. Though
he had not seen her for so many
years, Cupid was putting in his best
work for a "home run," and the
now rich young business man realized
that his big bank account,
three ranches and a controlling in-
terest in a machinery enterprise
could not contribute to perfect hap-
piness—he must have a partner,
and no one in all the West filled his
conception of a perfect woman like
the sweetheart of former years.

So back to old Christian he came
with matrimonial intent. A short
stay at the home of the bride's fa-
ther sufficed to arrange matters
there. Coming to the city Wednes-
day morning to arrange for the wed-
ding here he first engaged rooms at
Hotel Latham for the party who
were to come up on the train that
afternoon. Then he began making
purchases of those little things that
always please women—a silk dress
here, another somewhere else, this
thing and that at different places,
until he had about exhausted the
catalogue of woman's wants. Nei-
ther did he forget the diamond ring,
the gold watch, gold-headed um-
brella, and many other things that
dazzle an expectant bride and make
her the heart strings that bind her
to the man who has wooed and won.

Our ardent Westerner did not,
could not, endure the thought of
being married where the curious
would gather. The ceremony must
be as private as possible—no one
should be there except the number
of witnesses required by law. When
a representative of this paper sug-
gested that he would gladly be one
of the witnesses he soon learned that
this matter had been attended to.
Then the parlors of Hotel Latham
were mentioned, but "that wouldn't
be at all private." "No, sir, I am
going to be married in a carriage,"
and sure enough he was. A short
time before the 5:18 train was due
from the north he and the woman
who was to be his life partner ap-
peared in a carriage in front of Rev.
J. A. Kirtley's, where with a few
words, they were united for life.

The bride is the daughter of Mr.
H. F. Flowers, of near Crofton,
popular with the people of his neigh-

PER CAPITA FIXED AT \$3.25

Good News For The School
Teachers of The
State.

INCREASE OF 30 CENTS.

The Total Number of School
Children Reported at
731,000.

Frankfort, Ky., July 12.—State
Superintendent Fuqua today de-
clared the per capita for the com-
mon schools of Kentucky for the
school year of 1905-6 to be \$3.25, a
new high record allowance for this
purpose.

This per capita is based on the
estimated resources of the school for
the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906,
which Auditor Hager fixes at \$2,420,879.80. It is based upon further
information to the effect that the
number of school children of school
age is 731,000 and that a number of
schools in sparsely settled districts
have been abandoned and consoli-
dated with others. By this means
false pupils, for which allowance
must be made, are in a measure cut
off and a better class of teachers
can be employed by increasing the
number of pupils in these schools.
Last year the per capita was fixed at
\$2.95, and a deficit in the school
fund of \$170,000 was paid. Today
there is no deficit in this fund.

Died of Consumption.

Mrs. O. B. Dollins, wife of Mr.
F. M. Dollins, died on East Fourth
street last Wednesday morning, after
a lingering illness of consumption.
She leaves one child of six years.
The remains were laid to rest Thurs-
day morning in the Dollins family
burial ground, 6 miles from Hop-
kinsville.

borhood, unpretentious and is well
to do. Mrs. Word is a bright and
vivacious young lady, has a pretty
face, petite figure, of good sound
common sense and will make a good
wife for the man who laid his heart
and fortune at her feet.

After the marriage the happy
couple were driven to the L. & N.
train and went to Nashville to meet
a brother of the groom. They will re-
turn to Hopkinsville tonight and go
to Crofton Sunday to spend the day
with the family of the bride. Monday
their friends will give a picnic in
their honor at Rock Bridge, and then
they will start West via Chicago.
They will go first to South Dakota,
visit the Lewis and Clark Exposition,
go through Yellowstone park, go to
Montana and then start on a "home
run" for San Francisco. May they
both reach the "home plate" in safety
and score many years of a happy
married life.

REVENUE AGENT BRINGS SUITS.

Thinks Our People Are
Holding Back
Property.

OVER \$8,000 INVOLVED.

Claims That Six Years Taxes
Are Due The
State.

Every once in a while some Au-
ditor's agent swoops down on our
town investigates the taxable prop-
erty, creates a tempest in a teapot,
and his shadow sees him no more.

The last, to disturb the monotony
of mid-summer was Mr. G. H. Alex-
ander. Thursday he filed ten suits
in the county court against a num-
ber of firms for not listing property
for taxation for six years, beginning
with 1900. He claims that the firms
named below are owing taxes aggregat-
ing \$8,043.75. These revenue
agents make their living this way
and are expected to trouble the peo-
ple, but we imagine these suits will
pass out like others that have pre-
ceded them.

The suits are as follows:
Forbes Manufacturing Company
\$1,237.50, alleged to be due on \$50,000
worth of unlisted property.

E. M. Flack & Co., on \$25,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

Empire Coal and Mining Co., on
\$50,000 worth of property, \$1,237.50.

Acme Mills & Elevator Co., on
\$50,000 worth of property, \$1,237.50.

John Meayon Co., on \$5,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

Wm. H. Cummings & Sons Co., on
\$25,000 worth of property, \$618.75.

Couts, Simmons & Co., on \$25,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

J. H. Eggleston & Sons, on \$25,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

Tandy & Fairleigh, on \$25,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

E. W. Henderson, on \$25,000
worth of property, \$618.75.

IMMENSE BUILDING.

1,700,000 Brick Will be Used
in Its Construction.

The Forbes Manufacturing Com-
pany is rushing the large warehouse
of the Imperial Tobacco Co. as fast
as the weather will permit. The
heavy rains of the past three weeks
has greatly retarded work, as the
excavations were filled with water
about as fast as they were dug.
This will be one of the largest build-
ings in the city. It is estimated that
nearly 1,700,000 brick will be used
in its construction.

More Rain.

Another hard shower Thursday
evening added more discouragement
for the farmers whose wheat is
sprouting in the shock.

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The Weather.

Washington, D. C., July 14.—For Kentucky: Generally fair Saturday, except probably local thunderstorms in north portion. Continued warm.

The canning factory at Dixon received 1,400 gallons of blackberries Monday at 12 cents a gallon. The Sunday law in Webster county must not be strictly enforced.

"The prettiest woman and the best cook in Taylor county" is Mrs. Martha Jane Ayers, of Taylor county, who is thirty-three years old and has been married nine times. Good cooks are scarce everywhere.—Glasgow Times.

Commissioner of Insurance Prentiss, in his annual report on insurance business in this state, other than fire and marine, shows thirty-six life companies engaged with insurance in force of \$226,562,099; amount of premiums \$7,318,526; amount paid \$3,055,579.

Lieut. Robt. E. Perry is now about to start from New York on another expedition to search for the North Pole. He will take with him his wife and two children, a girl of eleven and a boy of two years old. Miss Minnie Babb, a Maine school teacher, will also be in the party. The vessel upon which they will depart is called the "Roosevelt."

There 240 rural free delivery routes established in Kentucky during the year which ended last Saturday. There are 174 petitions still pending. There are now 564 routes in the State. The First district has 102, the Second 95, the Third 58, the Fourth 70, the Fifth 50, the Sixth 47, the Seventh 67, the Eighth 42, the Ninth 43, the Tenth 12 and the Eleventh none.

M. Muravieff has resigned and Emperor Nicholas has signed the appointment of M. Witte to be chief plenipotentiary of the Russian Government in the peace negotiations to begin next month in the United States. M. Witte is the ablest of all Russian statesmen and is an earnest advocate of peace. His appointment is received with great favor by Japan.

Uncle Sam is preparing to look into the methods of the Tobacco Trust. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has ordered a sweeping investigation of the charges that the figures on the condition and acreage of tobacco were juggled at the behest of the tobacco trust. Agents will be sent to Kentucky and in the meantime the July report will be held back. The growers claim the decrease in the crop prospects may amount to as much as 50 per centum.

Walter Scott, a broncho buster, who turned miner and struck it rich in the Death Valley of California, has taken out a big fortune in gold and has now started out to spend it. He is known as "Scotty" and with his wife and a yellow dog wearing a \$1,000 collar, he hired a special train from Los Angeles and rode in record-breaking time to Chicago. The train cost him \$10,000. He reached Chicago Wednesday and soon became lost in the crowd, except that he was given excellent opportunities on every hand to separate himself from his money.

Our young friend, John H. Bruff, a Christian county boy, has located at Yakima, Wash., to practice law and sends us a Yakima paper from which we see that the doctors of Washington are not bound by the "code of ethics" as to advertising that hampers the "effete east's" physicians. Twelve of the leading physicians and surgeons of the place have advertisements in its columns, setting forth the inducements they have to offer patients, their offices being equipped with X-ray machines and other modern appliances. The medical profession can be pushed like any other business appealing to the public.

The most interesting event in the magazine world for the coming week is the appearance of the Cosmopolitan under its new auspices and in new garb. The famous old magazine, which was one of the pioneers of ten-cent periodicals, has taken on a new lease of life. The August number is interesting from cover to cover. Richard Le Gallienne has a charming essay on "The Poetry of a Woman's Smile," illustrated with photographs of New York society women taken in their merriest mood. Alfred Henry Lewis which a serial life of Paul Jones which promises to be the most important piece of biography of the present year.

SOMETHING NEW.

The Keach Co's Handsome New Moving Car.

Always up with the times, the Keach Furniture Co. has purchased a large and beautiful furniture car, such as is used in the large cities. It is five feet one inch in width and 12 feet long in the clear, and has a canopy top. They have a pair of large and evenly matched bay horses and new harness and the whole rig, which cost \$800, is something which the company has good reason to be proud of. They are now receiving a shipment of beautiful furniture in addition to the large line they always keep in stock. They are wide-awake and up-to-date men and deserve the large patronage they receive.

320 ARRESTS.

Police Made That Number For First Six Months.

Following is a list of arrests slated at police headquarters during the first half of 1905:

January, 45; February, 42; March, 64; April, 62; May, 44; June 63. Total, 330.

From first to July 14 only 18 arrests were made. Four for jumping on moving trains, 9 breach of the peace, and 5 plain drunks.

Henderson Team Hard-up.

Henderson Ky., July 13.—Jacob Zimbro, Jr., secretary, and Harry Kubitz, manager, have resigned from the Henderson K. L. T. Baseball Club. It is rumored that the team is in financial straits and unless a certain amount is raised tomorrow the team will fall through. In case the money is raised there will be a thorough reorganization and other teams in the "Kitty" are said to labor under practically the same disability. It is attributed to poor attendance.

Age of 105 Years.

Rachel Parkside, col., aged 105 years, died at her home in Cadizville Thursday night. She was born in Virginia, March 8, 1800, and was brought to this country when quite young. All of her children are dead, but she leaves four grand-children, nine great grand-children and five great, great grand-children. She was a member of the Virginia Street Baptist Church. Rev. E. Williams, the pastor, will preach her funeral this afternoon and the interment will take place in the Gainsville cemetery.

INSPECTORS REPORT

The Inspectors' Weekly Report of the local tobacco market is as follows: Receipts for week, 445 hogsheads; receipts for year, 8015 hogsheads; sales for week, 436 hogsheads; sales for year, 3882 hogsheads; rejections for week, 11 hogsheads.

Died at Asylum.

Miss Norma Storm, a young patient of the asylum, from Ohio county, died of consumption Tuesday and her body was shipped to Beaver Dam, Ky., her old home, for burial Wednesday. She was in her 19th year.

Mrs. Sarah Baker, another inmate, from Graves county, died Tuesday. Her home was in Mayfield, Ky., to which point her remains were shipped for burial.

Died of Brain Trouble.

James Henry, the five-year-old son of Mr. Lee Hill, of Gracey, died Thursday morning at 3 o'clock of brain trouble. The child had been ill of congestion of the stomach and his brain became affected, causing its death. The interment took place in the old Roach burying ground.

JOINED THE 400 CLASS.

Four Straights From the Henderson Pullets and Not Done Yet.

VINCENNES TO-MORROW

Browns Come Home Monday for Two More Victories Here.

STANDING TO JULY 14.

Clubs—	Played.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Paducah.....	71	48	23	.676
Vincennes.....	70	42	28	.600
Princeton.....	72	35	37	.486
Cairo.....	71	34	37	.478
Hopkinsville.....	69	28	41	.405
Henderson.....	71	25	46	.352

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Princeton at Cairo.
Vincennes at Paducah.
Hopkinsville at Henderson.

The games Thursday were played as indicated above. Hopkinsville took the fourth straight game from Henderson by 4 to 3. Desmond and Rutledge and Gilbert and Clegg were the batteries. Hopkinsville had 10 hits and 5 errors. Henderson 9 hits and 5 errors. Luck seems to have helped the Browns.

Vincennes defeated Paducah 2 to 1, once more getting into the 600 per centage column, though Paducah is still six games ahead.

Cairo took some of the conceit out of the infants by a 4 to 3 defeat and one more such victory will put Cairo back in third place.

Hopkinsville is now in the 400 class and playing winning ball right along. In spite of errors the Browns have a bunch of batters that are a terror to the best pitchers in the League. There is hardly a man among them who is not good for at least one safe hit each game and

The RACKET!

The true eating quality at a popular price. Sold at 10c a pound.

Rubber Heels 20c.

Our special sales of candy are notable sales. The quality and price make them so. 5 cents a pound.

Hooks and Eyes 2c.

A candy at a price which is within the reach of all. 10 cents a pound.

Tacks 1c Box.

Your children's pleasure should be worth the price. 5c a pound.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

This is a case where the best are cheapest. 5c a pound.

The Racket,
Joe P. P'Pool, Mgr.

Major has played several games with 1000 per cent.

The Browns will take two more games from Henderson and then go to Paducah for a double-header Sunday. They will not be satisfied with less than 3 of these 4 games, which will bring them home with 424 per cent, hot on the trail of both Cairo and Princeton. They will return home Monday and play Monday and Tuesday with Vincennes.

The team is being well managed financially and with a mid-season bonus of about \$400 from the citizens will finish the season in good shape financially.

This will be \$200 or \$300 less than was done for it last season. Those who feel an interest in a winning team should come forward and help the boys finish with flying colors. We cannot, of course, win the pennant, but we can at least quit third in the list, for there are not more than two stronger teams in the League than the Browns as at present made up.

Frank Brady's long drive over the center field fence was a record breaker on the local diamond. Only twice in the history of the park has a ball been sent over that fence. Two years ago, when the fence was two feet lower, Ingle, of Clarksville, barely cleared it. Last year Haas, a visiting player, got it over by a bounce from the inside. Brady's drive went several feet above the 3-foot fence, the longest home run ever knocked in Hopkinsville. The fans presented Brady with a purse of \$11.25. Sam Frankel gave him a pair of \$5 shoes and Howard Braine "set up" a horse and buggy for an evening's drive.

CHAT OFF THE BAT.

Roy H. Gregory, who arrived in this city three days ago from Minneapolis to pitch for the Cairo team, was last night assaulted by a negro at the corner of Thirty-fourth and Sycamore streets, who cut a deep gash in his neck with a small pocket knife.—Cairo Bulletin.

Just imagine that the people in Vincennes are cussing out their team just like the Henderson folks are saying things about theirs. Alice, old girl, here is our sympathy. The folks in Henderson know how you feel about it.—Gleaner.

The Princeton paper boasts its home team in and out of season, while the Henderson papers knock on the Pullets every time they lay a goose egg. Considering the treatment they get at home, the Hens are doing as well as could be expected.

It was Bobby Barlow's off day. He failed to get a hit but scored after taking a walk.

Simpson struck out 7 men and Asher the same number.

A Christian County Family.

Mr. A., a widower, has three sons; Mrs. B., a widow, has four daughters. Mr. A. married the third daughter, Mr. A's oldest son married the youngest daughter, his second son the second daughter and his youngest son married the oldest daughter. The youngest son is seventeen years of age, and his wife forty. Mr. A. is sixty years of age, what relation are they all to each other?

We are indebted to Mr. R. M. Reynolds, of this city, for the above item. He is personally acquainted with the entire family. They live in Christian county.—Dawson Oracle.

KANSAS CITY MARKET

Corrected Each Issue by W.

D. Cooper, Broker.

WHEAT—OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
July...	79 1/2	79 1/2	77 1/2
Sept...	76 1/2	76 1/2	74 1/2
CORN—			
July...	51 1/2		51 1/2
Sept...	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2
OATS—			
July...			
Sept...	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2

Last Day to Enter.

This is the day for closing entries in the Democratic city primary. In only two of the six wards where Democrats will seek nominations are there more than one candidate at this time, petitions having indicated the strength of the aspirants in all of the wards.

GREAT = HOPKINS = COUNTY

GREATER! GRANDER! BETTER THAN EVER!

FOUR BIG RACES DAILY!

AUG. 1-2-3-4-5!

20 FREE ACTS IN FRONT GRAND STAND, INCLUDING THE FLYING MOSES, THE GREATEST AERIAL ARTISTS IN THE WORLD. 20

Willman Bros. leaping the gap on bicycles! Beoker and Decker, the cycle whizzes! Prof. Dennis fired from bomb attached to a balloon 5,000 feet in mid-air. Black wire juggling, Trapeze Performing, and many other acts equally good. BRASS BAND, FREE ICE WATER AND BIG DISPLAY AT FLORAL HALL.

GEO. W. RASH,

President.

J. A. FRANCEWAY,

Secretary.

All Persons Under 15 or Over 70, Free First Day.

SPECIAL TRAIN

Will leave Hopkinsville at 8:30 a. m. Returning Will leave Madisonville at 6 p. m. on August 3, 4 and 5. ONE-FARE ROUND TRIP.

Kentucky and Tennessee Fair Association,

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Will Hold Its First Annual Fair August 17, 18 and 19, 1905, Guthrie, Ky.

The Premium List is liberal and long, offering a premium on Hares, Mules, Cattle, Hogs and Sheep; Fruits, Flowers, Canned Goods, Garden and Dairy Products. In fact we have endeavored to have everything from a baby to a horse. Trotting, pacing and running races each day with the finest show rings ever seen at a country fair. Ample stall room, information and catalogue furnished by R. LESTER, SECRETARY.

August 17th will be Dark Tobacco Growers' Day, 18th will be Kentucky and the 19th will be Tennessee Day. Music by "Red Men's" Band of Nashville.

JAS. WEST & CO.,

PROPRIETORS

New Enterprise Warehouse,

CORNER 12TH AND RAILROAD STREETS.

Charges for selling \$2.50 a hogshead. Four months' free storage. Insurance 25c first 60 days.

We also store for the Planters' Association.

Buying Wheat at Herndon.

Representing Liberty Mills, Nashville, Tenn. I desire to buy all the wheat in this section and will pay the highest market price for same. See me before you sell.

W. R. Faulkner, Herndon, Ky.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce

DR. J. B. JACKSON

As a candidate for re-election as Councilman from the Sixth Ward. Subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 15th.

We are authorized to announce

E. M. FLACK

As a candidate for councilman in the Sixth Ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

J. K. TWYMAN

As a candidate for Councilman in the Third ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

JAS. D. WARE

As a candidate for Councilman in the Second ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

LUCIAN H. DAVIS

As a candidate for re-election as Councilman in the Fourth Ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

J. MILLER CLARK

As a candidate for the City Council from the First Ward, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

Jas. B. Allensworth,

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Home Company Wants In-
formation About One
Richard Wilder.

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rive at Authorship.

Cumberland Telephone and Tele-
phone Co. and Messrs. Jas. E. Cald-
well, its President, and Leland Hume,
its General Manager:

It has come to the attention of
this company that a letter signed by
one Richard Wilder, has been mailed
from Evansville, Ind., to many
farmers of South Christian county,
Kentucky, such letter reading as
follows:

Evansville, Ind., July 10th, 1905.

DEAR SIR:—
This communication is addressed
to you in the belief that some good
will result from sending it.

Certain telephone promoters are
scouring your county trying to work
up telephone lines, but primarily
and principally to get your money to do
it with. For instance, a proposition
is made that if you will buy a share
of their stock at its par (face) value
and sign a contract for a telephone,
that the use of the said telephone for
the first year will be free, or rather
that the first year's interest on your
investment will pay for the first
year's service, that is, that you will
receive a dividend of eighteen per
cent. After the first year you are
to cast your lot with the other stock-
holders.

Now, the truth of the matter is
that the property owned by these
northern promoters who are trying
to sell you stock is mortgaged for
\$100,000.00, and you will find the
mortgage on record in the court
house at your county seat. In ad-
dition to the \$100,000.00 of bonds
against the property, which gives
the holders a first lien, or claim,
on the property, there is a capital stock
of \$100,000.00, which combined
makes two hundred thousand dollars
of securities against the property
which I verily believe cost less than
\$50,000.

In any event the owners of the
property stated on oath to the Board
of tax assessors that their property
was worth only twenty-five thousand
dollars and it is on this basis that
the property is assessed.

It is not my desire to take up the
side of either telephone company
doing business in your county, but it
is my desire and aim to prevent the
unloading upon the farmers of a lot
of watered and worthless stock and
bonds.

If you will consult your lawyer he
will tell you that the stock that these
people are proposing to sell is
worthless and that if you hold it you
are responsible under the law for the
debts of the company in propor-
tion to the amount of stock you hold.

I could tell you other things that
would tend to convince you that you
do not want to fool with the stock of
the telephone company that you
know I refer to, but a hint to the
wise is usually sufficient.

Yours truly,
RICHARD WILDER,
334 Adams Avenue,
Evansville, Indiana.

Many of those receiving the letter,
believing it was inspired by your
company, we now ask you to answer,
by letter, published in the next in-
pression of this paper at our ex-
pense, the following questions, to-
wit:

Has the said Richard Wilder any
connection with the Cumberland
Company? If so, what?

Did your company, or its repre-
sentatives have anything to do with
the utterance of said letter?

Did your company, or any of its
officers, attorneys, or employees
formulate said letter? If so, who?

Are the statements contained in
said letter true?
R. E. COOPER,
President, Hopkinsville Home
Telephone Co.,
Hopkinsville, Ky., July 14, 1905.

A copy of this paper has been for-
warded by registered mail to Messrs.
Caldwell & Hume, at Nashville.

GOING TO HOUSTON.

Hopkinsville To Lose Another
of its Best Young Men.

There is always a good place
waiting for the young man of in-
tegrity, morality and industry, but,
somehow, the world has a knack of
finding out our best young men. As
soon as one of them comes to the
surface the "rush order" is received.
"Pack your goods and come on, we
need you," and the town is poorer
by their going.

The last demand on the bone and
sinew of our business is in the per-
son of Mr. Wallace Kelly, who for
five or six years has been the local
representative of the American
Snuff Co., which fully recognizes
his worth, has paid him, probably,
the highest salary of any man in the
city. After his graduation from
Center college he went into the of-
fice of Mr. J. D. Ware, the tobacco-
nisi. His ability to learn was at
once recognized by Mr. Ware and he
gave him every opportunity for ad-
vancement in the tobacco business.
His success was almost phenomenal.

But Mr. Kelly is going to quit to-
bacco and go into insurance. Cra-
vens & Kelly, of Houston, Texas,
have induced him to travel for them
in Mississippi. His headquarters
will be at Houston and he will enter
upon his new duties August 15th.
His brother, McClure Kelly, is a
member of the firm of Cravens &
Kelly.

TYPHOID FEVER

Causes Death of Mr. W. H.
Fuller's Daughter.

The little six-year-old daughter of
Mr. W. H. Fuller, of Sylvia, Tenn.,
formerly of near this city, died at
the home of her parents Wednesday,
after an illness of two weeks of ty-
phoid fever. The remains arrived
here last night and will be interred
in Hopewell cemetery this morning
at 11 o'clock.

Illinois Central Changes.

Chicago, July 12.—Following the
recent appointment of A. H. Hanson
to the office of passenger traffic
manager of the Illinois Central the
following changes to other offices of
that system was announced to-day:
H. J. Phelps, passenger agent, Dubu-
que, Iowa; W. H. Wall, district
passenger agent, Chicago; S. North,
district passenger agent, Omaha; H.
S. Gray, traveling passenger agent,
Omaha; H. E. Gasner, city passeng-
er agent, Chicago; R. J. Carmichael,
city passenger agent, Chicago.

Street Services.

Religious services are being con-
ducted by a quartette of two ladies
and gentlemen. They sing well and
draw large crowds. They carry
their guitars and mandolins with
them, and between gospel songs
earnest exhortations are made by
the men. A series of meetings are
also being conducted on South Wal-
nut street, which are largely atten-
ded.

Dark Tobacco.

W. H. Jesup & Co. received this
week a fine lot of tobacco from Sa-
line Creek. The pricing houses will
be open and ready to receive tobacco
throughout the whole season.

Liquor Question.

Long Hollow precinct, Trigg county,
will vote on the liquor question
August 19.

READ THIS!

Trenton, Ky., Jan. 24, 1902.—Dr.
E. W. Hall, St. Louis, Mo., Dear Sir:
Please find enclosed \$1.00 for one
bottle of your Texas Wonder. I used
one bottle for kidney and bladder
trouble. I want this bottle for my
wife. It is a real wonder and one of
the greatest medicines in the world.
I was passing pure blood and one
bottle cured me sound and well.
You can see my testimonial and
photograph if you wish.
Yours truly,
R. A. WILLIAMS,
Real Estate Agent.

A Texas Wonder.

One small bottle of the Texas
Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery,
cures all kidney and bladder troubles,
removes gravel, diabetes, seminal
emissions, weak and lame back,
rheumatism and all irregularities of
the kidneys and bladder in men and
women and regulates bladder
troubles in children. If sold by your
druggist will be sent by mail on
receipt of \$1.00. One small bot-
tle is two months treatment and
seldom fails to perfect a cure.
E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O.
Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for
testimonial. Sold by all druggists
and R. C. Hardwick, Hopkinsville,

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. G. W. Southall has returned
from Lawson.

Miss Annie E. Wallis, of near
Cadiz, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. J. T. Hanbery has returned
from a visit to friends in Cadiz.

Chas. H. Nash, Jr., has gone to
Virginia to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Yonta are visiting
relatives in Muhlenburg county.

Miss Lucy Edmunds was the guest
of friends in Cadiz this week.

Mrs. J. E. Crider, of Fredonia, is
visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. E.
Cooper.

Mrs. John A. Steele, of Clarks-
ville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. T. T. Watson.

Miss Augusta F. Wilson, of Little
Rock, Ark., is visiting Mrs. Jas.
West.

Mrs. Frank Rickman and children
have been in Cadiz several days vis-
iting relatives.

Prof. W. H. Harrison, of Russell-
ville, was here yesterday and went
to Cerulean Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Elb have gone
to the Great Lakes to spend some
time.

Miss Mollie Kennedy is spending a
few days with her brother, Mr. Joe
Kennedy, near Pembroke.

Mrs. Paul Winn, of Dawson, is
visiting the family of her father,
Mr. A. W. Pyle.

Mr. McClure Kelly, of Houston,
Texas, is visiting his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Walter Kelly.

Mr. Ed. G. McCormick, formerly of
Bowling Green, but now of Evans-
ville, is in the city on business.

Misses Minnie Lee and Verna
Southall have returned from a visit
of a week to Dawson Springs.

Prof. Jno. P. Fruit, professor of
languages at Wm. Jewell College,
Liberty, Mo., with Mrs. Fruit, is
visiting Dr. E. N. Fruit's family.

Prof. A. H. Throckmorton, dean of
the law department of Centre Col-
lege, Danville, spent Thursday and
Friday in the city.

Dr. Edmund Harrison spent sev-
eral days of this week in Trigg coun-
ty, in the interest of Bethel Female
College, of which he is President.

Mrs. James Green Breathitt and
Robt. S. Green have returned from a
visit to Mrs. Mike Griffin, at Pa-
ducah.

Mr. John F. Allensworth, of Nash-
ville, who had been on a week's visit
to relatives near Oak Grove, spent
Thursday with his brother, Mr. J. B.
Allensworth.

Mr. D. B. Roach, who had been
attending the Kentucky School of
Medicine, Louisville, returned to his
home at Roaring Spring a few days
ago to spend vacation.

HERE AND THERE.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office
over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

All kinds of lumber for sale. Phone
172. J. H. Winfree.

Alva D. McClure, of Leitchfield,
Ky., was shot and killed while resist-
ing arrest.

Drs. Oldham and Gregory, Osteo-
paths, 705 S. Clay St., Hopkinsville,
Kentucky.

Lost—Near Beverly, silver spangled,
pearl stick fan. Return to C. E.
Sivley, Howell, and get reward.

Miss Eunice Kindred won the Mur-
ray Ledger's prize in the Popular
Lady Contest in Calloway county, in
a total of 69,000 votes. She is a
young school teacher of Concord.

FOR SALE—Five Jersey cows
with young calves.

J. P. MYERS, Hopkinsville, Ky.
R. F. D. No. 2.

The special excursion for Evans-
ville, leaving Hopkinsville Sunday,
July 16th, at 9:35 a. m., will leave
Evansville returning at 6:00 p. m.,
Monday, July 17th. This will give
passengers part of Sunday and all
day Monday in Evansville. Fare
for round trip, \$1.50.

J. B. MALLON, Agent.

We are gaining customers daily
under our improved methods of do-
ing laundry work, we don't return
your clothes yellow, nor streaked
with blue, as some do, then again
we call for and deliver your work at
same prices as others do, when you
have to call. No spitting on your
linen to dampen it at Hopkinsville
Steam Laundry.

One hundred independent tele-
phone companies of Indiana met at
Winona Lake, Ind., this week and
formed a compact body to affiliate
with the national organization.

Don't miss This!



A close out deal on Sewing Machines.

We are going to quit the Sewing Machine
business, and in order to quit quick
we are going to sell

Standard \$60.00 **\$29.00,**
Sewing Machine for
Wheeler & Wilson **\$28.**
Sewing Machine for

These machines are the latest improved and
best on the market to-day. This is an opportunity
you can't afford to miss if you are going to need a
machine in the next ten years. Come and get one
before they are all gone.

Forbes M'f'g. Co.

(INCORPORATED.)

The Home Telephone Co.



The Cusless, Girl-less, Out-
of-Order, Waitless
Telephone.

Brought to Hopkinsville the ad-
vantages of competition. Reduced
rates, improved service and stopped abus-
es.

THE HOME has distanced the old company
in the race for city patronage and is extend-
ing its lines into the country. Long distance
connection with Guthrie, Clarksville and other
Tennessee towns. Will soon

Cover the Whole Telephone
Field.

PATRONIZE THE COMPANY THAT
BROUGHT YOU RELIEF.
The Best is None too Good for Hopkinsville

R. E. COOPER, Pres.,
F. G. Hoge, Mgr.

Tax Notice.

All city taxes levied by the board
of council of the city of Hopkins-
ville, Ky., for the year 1905, are in
my hands for collection and will be
due on July 1, 1905.

GUSTANDY,

Tax Collector for the City
of Hopkinsville, Ky.

For Sale or Rent.

Nice six room residence on North
Main. Apply to Max J. Moayan Co.,
with the John Moayan Co.

Palmer Graves,

—OF—

Hopkinsville Lime Works,

Wants to SELL your

LIME, CINDERS,

ROCK and DIRT!

Also BUYS

Cord Wood and

Second-hand Barrels!

PHONES—Home: Residence, 1089
Klin, 1258. Cumberland: Residence
540.

Cook & Higgins, Druggists.

30th
Phone. Home, 1215. Main
Cumberland, 68. Street.